

required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (Pub. L. 104-13; 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)). The NASA Contractor Financial Management Reporting System has provided the Agency with essential data for project management, budget planning and cost accruals for many years. Recent changes to the System eliminated the requirement for the NASA Form 533P, performance analysis report, provided for approval of exceptions from the standard reporting requirements at NASA Centers, rather than Headquarters, extended the period for submission of the initial report from 10 to 30 days after authorization to proceed, permitted the waiver of NF 533Q reporting for certain contracts where NF 533M reporting provides adequate information and eliminated the requirement that prime contractors use the NF 533 formats for subcontractor reporting. The data required on the reports are to be a product of contractors' existing accounting and management systems. The estimated annual burden hours reflect the expected impact of these changes, as well as comprehensive training on NF 533 reporting presented to NASA's contractors over the past two years. Comments should address contractors' estimates of hours required to prepare the NF 533M and NF 533Q reports.

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before December 23, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to Philip T. Smith, National Aeronautics and Space Administration, Code BFZ, Washington, DC 20546-0001. All comments will become a matter of public record and will be summarized in NASA's request for Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Bessie B. Berry, NASA Reports Officer, (202) 358-1368.

Reports

Title: NASA Contractor Financial Management Reports.

OMB Number: 2700-0003.

Type of Request: Extension.

Need and Uses: Contractors must report planned and actual costs on NASA Forms 533M/533Q so NASA can plan, monitor, and control program/project resources, evaluate contractor performance, and accurately accrue cost in the accounting system and financial statements.

Affected Public: Business or other for profit, not-for-profit institutions.

Number of Respondents: 900.

Responses Per Respondent: 12.

Annual Responses: 10,800.

Hours Per Request: 9.

Annual Burden Hours: 97,200.

Frequency of Report: Monthly and quarterly.

Russell S. Rice,

Director, IRM Division.

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[Notice 96-128]

Government-Owned Inventions, Available for Licensing

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of availability of inventions for licensing.

SUMMARY: The inventions listed below are assigned to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, have been filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, and are available for licensing.

Copies of patent applications cited are available from the Office of Patent Counsel, Lewis Research Center. Claims are deleted from the patent applications to avoid premature disclosure.

DATES: October 24, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Kent N. Stone, Patent Attorney, Lewis Research Center, Mail Code 0120, Cleveland, OH 44135-3191; telephone (216) 433-8855, fax (216) 433-6790.

NASA Case No. LEW-16,104-1: Ion Thruster Gimbal Mount

NASA Case No. LEW-20,003-1: Two-Phase (TiAl + TiCrAl) Coating Alloys for Titanium Aluminides

NASA Case No. LEW-16, 041-1:

Normal Shock Position Sensors

NASA Case No. LEW-20,002-1:

Atmospheric Pressure Method and Apparatus for Removal of Organic Matter with Atomic and Ionic Oxygen

Edward A. Frankle,

General Counsel.

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[Notice 96-130]

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AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA).

ACTION: Notice of availability of inventions for licensing.

SUMMARY: The inventions listed below are assigned to the National Aeronautics and Space Administration, have been filed in the United States Patent and

Trademark Office, and are available for licensing.

Copies of patent applications cited are available from the Office of Patent Counsel, Marshall Space Flight Center. Claims are deleted from the patent applications to avoid premature disclosure.

DATE: October 24, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Robert L. Broad, Jr., Patent Counsel, Marshall Space Flight Center, Mail Code CC01, Huntsville, AL 35812; telephone (205) 544-0021, fax (205) 544-0258.

NASA Case No. MFS-30096-1:

Contamination Sampling Device

NASA Case No. MFS-31114-1:

Continuous One-Directional Locking Orthotic Joint

Dated: October 15, 1996.

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General Counsel.

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[96-129]

Notice of Prospective Patent License

AGENCY: National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

ACTION: Notice of prospective patent license.

SUMMARY: NASA hereby gives notice that UbiquiTex Technologies Corporation, of 2200 Space Park Drive, Suite 200, Houston, Texas 77058, has requested an exclusive license to practice U.S. Patent No. 5,332,551, entitled "Atomic Oxygen Reactor Having At Least One Side Arm Conduit," which was issued on July 26, 1994, and assigned to the United States of America as represented by the Administrator of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration. Written objections to the prospective grant of a license should be sent to Mr. Hardie R. Barr, Patent Attorney, Johnson Space Center.

DATES: Responses to this notice must be received by December 23, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mr. Hardie R. Barr, Patent Attorney, Johnson Space Center, Mail Code HA, Houston, TX 77058-3696; telephone (713) 483-1003.

Dated: October 15, 1996.

Edward A. Frankle,

General Counsel.

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